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HOLLYWOOD

Miss Julia Wingfield recently went with a group for a 10-day tour of Hawaii. She returned home Wednesday and reported having a wonderful trip.

Miss Dawn Deaner and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deaner entertained in honor of Miss Julia Wingfield by giving her a welcome home party Sunday evening with a cookout. Other guests besides Miss Wingfield were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wingfield, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wingfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa and Mrs. Mary Bagby.

Friends and relatives were deeply hurt when word came that Mr. Sam Coleman had been killed Wednesday in a car accident. Our deepest sympathy is extended to each of his love ones.

Mrs. Virgie Beasley spent some time recently with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hamlett and family, of Hurt, Va. While she was there Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beasley and two daughters, of Wytheville, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley, Jr. were supper guests on Saturday night in this home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wingfield are spending their vacation at their home in Appomattox.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Otis Ranson Saturday. Our deepest sympathy is extended each of his love ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wingfield and son, of Roanoke, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wingfield.

Mr. Frank Covington returned to his home in Marietta, Ohio Wednesday after spending some time with his sister, Mrs. Mary Bagby and visiting relatives and friends. Among those calling to see him last week before he left were Mr. H. W. Jenkins, Mr. Alfred Almond, Mrs. Kenneth Deaner, Miss Dawn Deaner, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield, Mrs. Bill Watson, William and April Watson and Mrs. Andy Davis and Robin.

We were very sorry to hear Mr. William Ayers, of Lynchburg, was killed in a motorcycle accident Saturday. We extend our deepest sympathy to each of his loved ones.

We were very sorry to hear Mr. James Maxwell is a patient in the Lynchburg General Hospital. We pray he may have a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Locke, of St. Louis, Md., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell.

Mrs. Alice King and son, Mason, spent Wednesday in Richmond with her sister, Mrs. Arron Wilson and family. They visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Woodall and family and called in the home of Mrs. Mary Bagby on her way back to Covington.

Mrs. Allen Torrence's children are spending some time in Indiana with their father, Mr. Gene Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Torrence had as their supper guest Saturday night all their children, grandchildren and Mrs. J. L. Torrence.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman last week were Rev. Clarence Davis, Mrs. Janie Chernault and son, Robert, Mr. Calvin Smith, Mr. Bobby Smith and Miss Teresa Cyrus.

Mrs. J. L. Torrence attended a luncheon in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Shelia Torrence at the Columns in Lynchburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Jr., of Alexandria, visited Mr. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Sr. one day last week. Others calling in this home were Mr. Paul Gunter, Mrs. Alfred Almond and Jeff Kendricks.

It was good to see Mrs. W. H. Wingfield at church Sunday after a recent stay in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Woodall and Susan, of Lynchburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield Sunday afternoon. Others calling in this home last week were Mr. Frank Covington, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and Dawn, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wingfield, Mr. Billy Inge, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wingfield and son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa and Miss Shelia Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb were visitors Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Neville and family. They called in the Jamerson Nursing Home in Pamplin, also.

Mr. L. L. Webb, Miss Joyce Webb and Miss Odelle Webb were visitors Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Webb and Mr. Walker Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ciabo, of Knoxville, Tenn., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Davis and family and visited relatives and friends in Farmville and Cumberland.

Mrs. George Higgins, of Chicago, and Mrs. Larney Scuggs, of Cullen, are visiting their sister, Mrs. James Carson.

CONCORD GARDEN CLUB

The June meeting of the Concord Garden Club was held in the home of Mrs. J. W. Pratt. The program of the day was "Azalea Culture", and for that the group went to the Greenview Nursery at 794 Leesville Road, Lynchburg. There Mrs. Ted Weigand was the speaker.

There is to be no meeting of the club in July.

A tour is bieng planned for August 14, at which time the club members, their children and guests are to tour the Horticulture Dept. of VPI & SU at Blacksburg, Va. This tour will include the greenhouse, flower gardens, horticulture farm and the arboretum. The group is to leave early that morning. A car pool is to be formed at some central spot.

There is the option of a picnic by the lake or eating in the college cafeteria. (Each small group is to decide for itself.

Christine G. MacKenzie,
Reporter

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The Pastor Speaks

In the year 1776 America's patriots fought shoulder to shoulder to gain our independence from British rule. As cannons roared and supplies dwindled men perished by the scores. No doubt many of them felt the freedom for which they fought would never come and the Revolution be a lost cause, but victory did come and America was free.

The road to freedom was indeed marked by hardship, pain and blood. Liberty is not a cheap commodity and should be treasured highly. In two World Wars and many other conflicts our country has stood firm in this liberty. God help us to continue.

However, there is a greater liberty in which to stand; that is, "Liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free." (Galatians 5:1) Like America's freedom it too was purchased with hardship, pain and blood -- precious blood. Unlike the Revolution this war for freedom was fought alone by the "King of Kings" and "Lord of Lords". The enemy was the evil principalities and powers, the rulers of darkness, spiritual wickedness in high places. (Ephesians 6:12) All this host headed by Satan himself. His was a great army but not an invincible one.

This raging battle for the souls of men took place one day nearly 2,000 years ago on an old rugged cross. Victory came and Satan defeated when Jesus cried out "It is finished" and died. Liberty came to every man who would accept the blood of Christ as the atonement for his sins. Today the devil stalks the earth not as a conquering hero but as a defeated foe awaiting his final doom.

To the world the cross would seem as defeat, but Jesus had said He must die and rise again in order for men to have life and that more abundantly. Paul tells us in Romans 5:10 that we are reconciled to God by the death of His Son and we shall be saved by His life.

To every liberated child of God Paul says stand fast and do not yield one inch of precious ground to the enemy of our souls and become again entangled with the yoke of bondage. (Galatians 5:1). But let us as liberated saints fight the good fight of faith, and though we be in a warfare the victory has already been won.

Rev. Bill Mayo
Appomattox Pentecostal
Holiness Church

THE BIBLE SPEAKS

International Uniform Sunday School Lessons

BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

HOW MUCH IS ENOUGH

Lesson for July 9, 1978

Background Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 4 through 5.
Devotional Reading: Psalms 13.

What is it a church can never have too much of?

Money? No, I've known of churches that had too much money for their own good. Activities? No, there are churches that ought to have fewer instead of more of these. Ministers? No, we all know the truth of the old saying: "Too many cooks spoil the broth." Church suppers? No, and I don't even think I have to explain that one.

Rev. Althouse

What then? Well, I've never known a church that had too much love. I've never known of a church that was too concerned about people. I've never found a church that impoverished itself by giving too much or exhausted itself by caring too much. If ever a church has been harmed in any way by too much love, I have not heard of it nor seen it.

Do So More and More

Yet we often are tempted to think that there ought to be some limit to the demands that love places upon us. How much are we expected to love and give and share? Isn't there a saturation point we reach and then have to look after ourselves?

It might seem that there should be some limits to love's demands, yet Paul doesn't seem to think so (and he seemed to get his opinion on this from his Master whose love was limitless). Writing to the church at Thessalonica, Paul says:

But concerning love of the brethren you have no need to have any one write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love one another; and indeed you do love all the brethren throughout Macedonia. (1Thessalonians 4:9).

That sounds like a rather good commendation, doesn't it. When it came to love, the Thessalonians seemed to be doing all right. Nevertheless, despite their good track record, Paul goes on to say, "**But we exhort you, brethren, to do so more and more...**"!

Command Respect

Weren't these fine people loving enough? No, no matter how much love poured forth from that congregation, Paul was asking for more. More love for each other. More love for outsiders. More sharing. More sacrifical service. In short: there would be much much love in that church for love is the one commodity that we can never have in too great abundance.

The spiritual fellowship that abounds in Christian love is never free from demands upon it.

There is always someone in need. There is always a cause to be championed. There are always people to be fed and clothed and comforted. There are always prayers and intercessions needed. There are always helping hands to be given. And I never have known a church that got into trouble because it reached love's "point of diminishing returns."

It is understandable that we want to know "How much is enough?" Nevertheless, Paul's voice comes to us as it did the people of Thessalonica, calling us "to do so more and more."

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Date Announced For Catholic Church Services

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church will hold services every Saturday evening at 6:00 p.m. at the Memorial United Methodist Church in Appomattox.

All members and guests are invited to attend these services.

A Choice

"Which would you rather give up, wine or women?"

"It depends on the vintage."

Beginner

Hold-up Man: "Stick'em up...or else!"

Victim: "Or else what?"

Hold-up Man: "Don't confuse me...this is my first job."

EVERGREEN 4-H CLUB

The regular meeting of the Evergreen 4-H Club was held June 8, 1978, at the home of Joanie Canada.

Tambra Hamlet called the meeting to order.

Two of our 4-H members led us in our pledges.

Under old business we got our new flag set, Taye Stevens turned over card money to the treasurer.

Under new business we got a committee together for the Peaks-of-Otter trip and Fair committee.

The treasurer read her report.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Our program this month was to talk over the trip to Peaks-of-Otter.

Tambra Hamlet then adjourned the meeting, afterwards we all played in a game of ball.

Karen Stevens, Reporter

Different Branch

"My father's in the coal business."

"Oh, what branch?"

"He collects the ashes."

Number Two

"Let me see," said the minister who was filling out the marriage certificate and was uncertain as to the date, "this is the fifth, isn't it?"

No sir," returned the bride indignantly, "this is only my second."

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"The South 40"
by JAMES A. SMITH
EXTENSION AGENT

Remember 1976 with the heavy losses of green beans in gardens from viruses. Generally the cause was attributed to either Peanut Stunt Virus or Bean Yellow Mosaic. Aphids are probably the means of carrying the infection from one area to another. Therefore, insect control may be important in the control of diseases. Malathion or Diazinon will do a good job on aphids. The big problem is that recommended insecticides do not kill aphids soon enough to prevent the spread of disease.

Using a herbicide to control wild legumes that may serve as hosts for the disease may be a more practical means.

Last year at Virginia Tech showed the following yield reduction from the virus: Roma 3 percent, White Half Runners 10 percent, Mountain Half Runners 30 percent, Bush Blue Lake 47 percent, Cherokee Wax, eighty-one percent. Perhaps the selection of bean varities will be as important as some other practices.

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Virgina Crop Reporting Service reports indicate in 1971 Appomattox County cattle numbered 11,000 head. In 1978 they reached an all-time high of 18,000.

It's my opinion that cattle numbers have not only increased, but the quality is significantly better.

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During the first 10 months of this fiscal year domestic cigarette used remained about the same, but cigarette exports were up 12 percent.

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Virginia Fire Cured Tobacco exports were at 1.3 million pounds for the period October 1977 - April 1978, down 2.5 million from a year earlier.

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The June hog and pig report indicates that nationally hog numbers are up one percent over last year and nearly 2 percent above 1976. The cold winter increased death losses and had the effect of keepoing hog numbers down. Pigs saved per litter were 7.04, lowest since 1960.

Looks as if we have prospects for a high build-up of grasshoppers for the second year in a row. Grasshoppers are currently in the nymph stage. They jump, but do not fly.

Another insect concern is corn borers. Looking at several fields last week there were wide differences in infestation. There should be at least 75 percent of the plants showing feeding before treating. Currently only granules are recommended, but there may be a change soon.

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Armco Steel has this suggestion for measuring moisture content of hay.

Hay should be tested for moisture content before bailing or storing. A simple method is to cut a small sample of hay and put the sample in a quart jar. Add one-half teaspoonful of table salt and screw on the lid. If the salt grain are free, then the hay should be safe for storage.

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Rep. Daniel Has Limited Supply Of Homemaker Books

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Fifth District Congressman Dan Daniel said he has obtained a limited supply from the Department and will make these available on request to his office.

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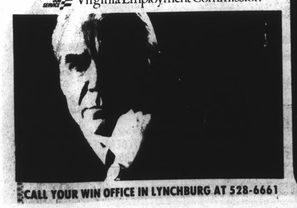

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